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COOK CONFESSES

Does Not Know Whether He Reached Pole or Not

New York, Dec. 2.—Dr. Frederick A. Cook, the Brooklyn explorer, in an article which will be published in Hampton's confessions that he does not know whether he reached the North Pole or not. Dr. Cook who has been in hiding for over a year, has informed the editors of the magazine publishing his story that he will return to the United States with his wife and children December 22 in order to spend Christmas here.

The publishers of the article issued a statement tonight saying that nowhere in his narrative does Dr. Cook either cast any reflections on Commander Peary or question Peary's claims.

Dr. Cook in his story deals with the psychology of his adventures and says "Did I get to the North Pole? Perhaps I made a mistake in thinking that I did. After mature thoughts, I confess that I do not know absolutely whether I reached the Pole or not. This may come as an amazing statement but I am willing to startle the world if, by so doing, I can get an opportunity to present my case. By my case I mean not my case as a geographical discoverer, but my case as a man. Much as the attainment of the North Pole meant to me, the sympathy and confidence of my fellow-men means more."

"Fully, freely and frankly I shall tell you everything and leave the decision with you. If, after reading my story, you say 'Cook is sincere and honest; half-crazed by months of isolation and hunger, he believed that he reached the pole; he is not a fakir,' then I shall be satisfied."

Dr. Cook tells the story of his life and pictures what he calls the overpowering ambition for exploration that beset him until it finally culminated in his effort to reach the North Pole. Dr. Cook declares that at the time he discovered the pole he was half mad. He spent two years in his quest and during that time endured hunger and privation that, he says, would unbalance any mind. The explorer states that it would be impossible for any man to demonstrate beyond question that he had been to the North Pole. He characterizes the region as a region of insanity, where one cannot believe the evidences gathered by one's own eye.

He says that he had always looked upon the discovery of the Pole as an achievement for his own personal satisfaction, for the satisfaction of a craving and desire that were greater than any other factor in his life. When he found how tremendous a sensation this statement that he had attained the Pole created, he was overcome with bewilderment.

Dr. Cook then tells the story of the days in Copenhagen and later in New York and of the crisis in his life that led to his flight from New York and his voluntary exile from the United States. The explorer says that notwithstanding the fact that he was followed by the shrewdest newspaper men in the world day after day and that sums ranging up to several thousands of dollars were offered for a clue to his whereabouts he has never worn a disguise and has never taken any unusual precaution to conceal his identity. Part of the time, he says his wife has been with him and part of the time the children.

Dr. Cook and his wife are now in Europe and the children are in a convent in France. Most of the time during his exile Dr. Cook has been in London. He says that he has gone about among Americans there with the utmost freedom, and at times has registered under his own name and that only a few have guessed his identity. Those who did guess it, Dr. Cook says were turned away with ease by the remark: "Why, yes, I have been told that before."

With the opportunities for thought that his exile has given him—Dr. Cook says he never even had time to sleep more than three or four hours at a stretch between his arrival at Copenhagen and his disappearance in New York—he has found growing stronger and stronger the desire to return to his own country to be understood by his own people. "I have been called the greatest liar in the world, the most monumental impostor in history," says Dr. Cook. "I believe that in every undesirable way I stand unique, the object of such suspicion and vituperation as have assailed few men."

With this realization Dr. Cook says that to him the honor of discovering the North Pole no longer seems anything. According to editors of the magazine he says that his "sole desire is to make the people of the United States realize just what he went through during his two and a half years in the Arctic fastness, and to make them see what processes of thinking—or lack of thinking—it was that led him to do the thing which confirmed to the average mind the worst suspicions against him."

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